## RESOLUTIONS

OF

# THE LEGISLATURE OF NEW YORK,

TO OBTAIN

The passage of a law to suppress the practice of duelling.

May 21, 1838.

Laid on the table, and ordered to be printed.

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IN ASSEMBLY, April 11, 1838.

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By order.

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Attest: J. N. LAKE, Clerk.

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